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TISHMAN REALTY & CONSTRUCTION CO., INC.

OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO R. M. MONTI DATE APRIL 15, 1966

FROM J. R. ENDLER

SUBJECT WORLD TRADE CENTER - CURTAIN WALL

I AM ENCLOSING HEREWITH A COPY OF THE NOTES WHICH THE PORT AUTHORITY SOLICITED FOR OUR MEETING ON APRIL 14 WITH MESSRS. TSUTCHIA, KLIPPEL, GERSHON, JULIAN ROTH AND TESSLER. COPIES OF THESE NOTES WERE GIVEN TO MESSRS. TESSLER, KLIPPEL AND TSUTCHIA. THEY WILL HOPEFULLY ASSIST ROTH IN THE PREPARATION OF THE PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE CURTAIN WALL.

I WOULD LIKE TO REITERATE MY COMMENTS REGARDING OUR CONCERN FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INSULATION CRITERIA TO INSURE THE CONTROL OF EXPANSION AND CONTRACTION OF THE STEEL COLUMNS; AND FURTHER, TO PRESS THE PURSUIT OF OUR SUGGESTION REGARDING THE TESTING OF THE EXTERIOR COLUMN SECTIONS TO DETERMINE WHAT THICKNESS, IF ANY, OF FIREPROOFING IS ACTUALLY REQUIRED TO PROVIDE A 4-HOUR RATING.

IN VIEW OF THE PROBLEMS DISCUSSED RELATING TO THE EXTERIOR COLUMN FIREPROOFING, I SUGGESTED TO HERB TESSLER THAT WE GO OUT TO BID ON THIS TRADE CONCURRENTLY WITH THE STEEL AND CURTAIN WALL. WHETHER THE TRADE IS AWARDED OR NOT AT THIS TIME IS NOT SO IMPORTANT. THE INFORMATION THAT CAN BE GAINED FROM THE FIREPROOFERS ESTIMATING THE WORK CAN, I THINK, MATERIALLY ASSIST US IN REACHING A CONCLUSION REGARDING THE METHOD OF APPLICATION OF AN APPROPRIATE MATERIAL TO THE WORK.

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